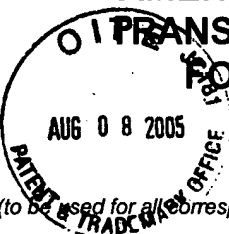
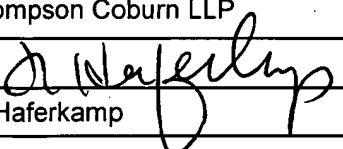
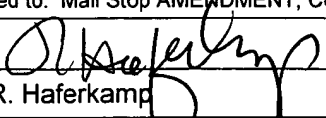


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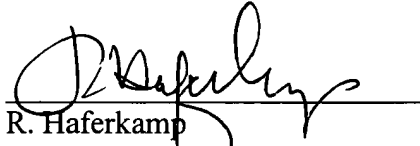
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In response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2005, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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